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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT : Concurrence in Supplemental Agreement No. 3 to  
Contract No. SC-21-54 with Perkin-Elmer Corporation-  
Project Octrol (AQUATONE).

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Director of Central Intelligence. Such recommendation is set forth in Paragraph 6.

2. Contract No. SC-21-54 and Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 thereto provide for the design and production of Photographic Equipment and related Ground Support Equipment necessary for the subject project. Amendment No. 3 provides for production of certain additional photographic equipment of the types previously developed and produced under the contract.

3. Contract No. SC-21-54 and Amendments No. 1 and 2 obligated a total of \$5,672,826 under Project [redacted] consisting of \$5,185,000 of Fiscal Year 1955 funds and \$487,826 of Fiscal Year 1956 funds. This Amendment No. 3 obligates an additional \$404,600 of Fiscal Year 1956 AQUATONE funds for Project [redacted]

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4. By memorandum dated 23 September 1955, in amendment of memorandum dated 2 January 1955, the Director of Central Intelligence advised the Comptroller that in accordance with the provisions of Section 10(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress, a sum not to exceed \$6,000,000 is available for procurement under Project [redacted]. Since the total obligations, to date, under Contract No. SC-21-54 and Amendments Nos. 1 to 3, inclusive, will amount to \$6,077,426, a balance of \$774,226 will be required for commitment to the Project.

5. In view of the additional amount required for obligation under Amendment No. 3 and additional procurements contemplated under the contract, it is considered necessary that an additional sum of \$500,000 be made available for expenditure under contracts for Project [redacted]. An authorization document for this additional sum is attached for the signature of the Director of Central Intelligence.

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5. Approval of Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. SC-21-54 and execution thereof on behalf of the Agency by the authorized Project Contracting Officer and approval of the necessary authorization document is recommended.

RICHARD W. BISSELL, JR.  
SA/PC/DCI - Project Director

CONCURRENCE:

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General Counsel

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Comptroller

Approval requested in Paragraph 6,  
granted.

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Director of Central Intelligence